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In re the Application of:

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For: SURGICAL DRAPE (AS AMENDED)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of the above-identified application, please amend the application as set forth below.

Amendments to the specification are submitted on page 2.

Amendments to the claims are submitted on page 3.

Remarks are submitted on page 6.